

All Around Town

CURRENT EVENTS

Feb. 25.—Willamette-Idaho game, armory, 7 p. m.
 Feb. 26.—Commercial league basketball game, Y. M. C. A., 8 p. m.
 Mar. 2.—Regular meeting of American Legion in armory, 7:30 p. m.
 March 1.—Business Men's luncheon, Commercial club, noon.
 Feb. 28.—Marion County Log Growers' Association, Commercial club.
 March 2.—Women's republican club meeting, Commercial club.

Court House News.

Circuit Court.
 Van Durnie vs. Walker D. Hixon, director general of the United States railroad administration, and the Oregon Electric railroad. Answer of defendant directed general.
 International Correspondence school vs. Benjamin R. Perkins. Answer.
 P. J. Kuntz, trustee, vs. H. F. et al. Complaint.
 In the matter of Augusta Hansen, patient on her seventeen. Notice of appointment of proceedings and finding of order of the board.
 H. O. Bailey vs. Carrie A. Morgan et al. Affidavit of mailing.
 W. W. Hume, trustee in bankruptcy vs. Edgar Dodge et al. Notice of appointment.
 F. W. Gaines vs. S. C. Mills et al. Answer.
 F. W. Gaines vs. S. C. Mills et al. Application to place on trial docket.
 Earl Patton et al vs. Will E. Purdy et al. Answer.

Probate Court.
 Rosalia Mathen Bergeoin estate. Order appointing appraisers.
 Joseph Matties Bergeoin estate. First annual account of Reuben C. Bergeoin, administrator.

NOTICE—Earl Wood, formerly of the Liberty garage, and O. J. Perry, who was shop foreman at Vick brothers for several years, do automobile requiring at 805 Broadway. Phone 1119.

Charles Malbreu, fruit exporter of Portland, formerly district freight agent for the Southern Pacific was a Salem visitor Thursday.

Basketball tonight, University of Idaho vs Willamette, Salem armory at 7 o'clock.

The Modern Woodmen will hold a hard time social Thursday evening. Everybody invited. 49*

Leonard Carpenter, president of the Medford Irrigation District, accompanied by Mrs. Carpenter, spent Thursday in Salem in consultation with the state engineer regarding district matters.

FENCE POSTS—Just arrived, 2 varieties of 1-ft. split cedar posts. Get your requirements while they last. Chas. K. Spaulding Logging Co. 50*

J. B. Pratt and Leonard Carpenter, engineer and president of the Medford Irrigation District, are here today a consultation with State Engineer Cooper relative to development work in connection with their district.

Deputy Secretary of State Sam A. Kner and Carl Gabrielson, in charge of the automobile registration department, were in Portland last night attending the high links given by the Portland Automobile association in connection with the annual automobile show.

When George Alder was taken from the game after being struck in the eye, Captain Knickerbocker's team, playing Captain Ewell's fifth ball players at the Y. M. C. A. gym Wednesday evening lost to the opponents. The game was fast and exciting from the outset, and but few fouls were called by Coach Hill.

Mrs. Susan Burkholder, of the Salem Homeing House on the corner of Commercial and Court streets, has leased the old Cottage hotel at the corner of Commercial and Front streets and will operate it in the future. The owner is having it renovated and made into a first class hotel.

Mrs. Lucy Johnson, formerly proprietor of the Glen hotel on North Commercial street, has returned from California where she has been spending the past few months, and has purchased the Richmond hotel on State street.

The trial of H. A. Bost, colored man arrested Sunday on a charge of disturbing the peace, was twice postponed Thursday when the hearing, scheduled to begin before a jury in Police Judge Race's court at 10 a. m., was deferred until Friday at 10 a. m., when he arraigned Tuesday, pleaded not guilty and asked for a jury trial. He is accused of tearing up a sign in the Blue Bird cafe and calling Mrs. A. C. Cook, waitress, vile names.

Special meeting of Multnomah chapter No. 1 R. A. M. this evening. Work in the R. A. degree. Visiting Companions welcome. 49*

OREGON
 BRYANT WASHBURN
 IN
 "THE SIX BEST CELLARS"
 IT'S CORKING
 NOW

Mrs. A. G. Foor is a business visitor in Albany for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hack of Portland, have been the guests of Mrs. Clifford Farmer, 1425 Saginaw street for the past few days.

The Marion County Log Growers Association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Commercial Club auditorium Saturday afternoon. The meeting will convene at 2:30, with President Bruce Cunningham, presiding. At a recent meeting of the association plans to mobilize all non-contract growers in the county in a fight for higher rates for the berries were laid.

No trace of a 1917 Ford model auto stolen Wednesday from in front of the Chas. K. Spaulding Logging company plant had been found Thursday by authorities, to whom the theft was reported. The auto belongs to P. L. Cotton and bears an Oregon license number 36493.

Mrs. George Watson, a former resident of this city with her husband, died at her home in Summit, New Jersey, following a siege of influenza, according to word received here Wednesday. She was ill ten days. Burial was in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn, New York, February 16, according to advices received here.

Summons to the bedside of her father, Rev. George F. Stivers, of Eugene, who lay at the point of death, Mrs. E. T. McCroskey, wife of Manager McCroskey of the Commercial Club, left this city Thursday morning. Rev. Stivers suffered an attack of influenza that later developed into a paralytic stroke, rendering him helpless.

Development of the Phez company farms in South Bottom, west of Chermaw, and the planting of strawberries and loganberries was inspected Wednesday afternoon by Manager T. E. McCroskey of the Commercial Club, and three business men from this city, William Gahlsdorf, Dave W. Eyre and William McGilchrist, Jr. The Phez company plans to have the tracts on the farm planted and apportioned and ready for sale to eastern families by May 1.

Due to the inability to gather required witnesses in time the trial of John P. Murphy against E. B. Ewing, involving the alleged illegal possession of real property, was continued from 10 o'clock Thursday, and began with a jury hearing testimony at 1:30 p. m. in Judge Urruh's court. It is expected that the case will occupy about all the afternoon.

Phillip Hanshaw, a former resident of this city who died at Oregon City Wednesday, will be buried in City View cemetery here Friday, following a funeral at the chapel of the Webb & Clough company at 10 a. m. Rev. Loughbridge, of the Baptist church, will have charge of the services.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Steusloff, 1185 Court street, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Alice H. Dodd will address the meeting. Assistant hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. R. A. Klein, Mrs. F. L. Klein, Mrs. W. W. Moore, Mrs. H. J. Clements and Mrs. George M. Brown.

In decree issued Thursday, Judge Kelly issued a verdict clearing title to 67 acres of land in Marion county in the case of E. R. Hogan against Clifford Johnson and others. By this judgment, Mr. Hogan is held to possess unclouded title to the property in question so far as the claims of the defendants are concerned.

Owing to the present influenza situation, Sacred Heart academy has dismissed school for the week. Classes will resume Monday, March 1.

J. W. Sherwood, state commander of the Maccabees, was the principal speaker at an open meeting held in McCormack hall Wednesday night. He chose as his subject the objects and benefits of the order. Frank Davey delivered a patriotic address. A short business meeting was followed by a program and the serving of refreshments. The Lady Maccabees assisted in the evening's entertainment.

Paul Wapato and Roy Skeen, winners of first and second place in the Willamette university oratorical try-out held Monday, were awarded the prizes of \$15 and \$10 offered by W. E. Keyes, who offers this prize annually for the winners in oratory. The prizes were presented in the chapel services by Dean Alden.

Word was received Wednesday morning by postmaster August Huckestein that Portland has been made the central accounting office for the entire state of Oregon. Since 1917 the local office has been the central point for the distribution of supplies and the receiving of the monthly reports of all officers in Marion county. A few months ago Silverton was transferred to the Portland district, and now the entire state is tributary to the metropolis.

At the offices of the city health officer only two cases of influenza were reported up to Wednesday noon, for the twenty-four hour period ending at that time. Wednesday morning, one death due to influenza and pneumonia was reported. This is the third death certificate received during the winter wherein influenza is mentioned as one of the contributory causes. During the past twenty-four hours, about ten quarantined cases have been freed, due to the recovery of the patients.

Nothing was found missing Wednesday from the basement of the home of T. B. Jones, corner Center and Commercial streets, although a prowler was reported being in there Tuesday night. Search in the basement a few minutes after the presence of the interloper there was reported as unavailing. Traffic Officer

Moffitt who answered the call for an officer, discovered the door entering the basement open, and it is believed that if a man was in there he escaped through this door without being seen.

The trial of John P. Murphy vs. E. B. Ewing, on a charge of illegal possession of real property, will be heard in Judge Urruh's court Thursday, beginning at ten o'clock. Murphy alleges that Ewing holds a parcel of land belonging to him without right.

The hemstitching shop at 429 Court street, owned by Mrs. L. M. Nesbit, has been bought by Mrs. F. C. DeLong and Mrs. W. M. Presley, well known in Salem, who will take charge and manage the business after March 1. Mrs. Nesbit plans to go to California. The new owners plan to conduct an efficient shop for doing all kinds of hemstitching, accoridian pleating and pleating, and button making. The shop will be known as the Salem Elite.

A war department telegram has been received at the local recruiting office for the army, in which a special provision is made for enlistments of one year in certain branches of the service. Regardless of prior service, minimum enlistments for one year may be taken for field artillery or engineers. The applicant also has the option of designating any camp in the United States for station during his service period. This is generally regarded as a very good offer, especially for the specialized branches of the service named.

The citizens of Salem as a rule have no idea of the amount of mail sent from the local postoffice. The following figures will help them realize the amount of business that passes through the hands of post office employees daily. Wednesday, February 25, 15,000 letters went through the cancelling machine. This included first and third class matter, but not parcel post mail. The lowest amount of letters sent from the office in recent months was 11,000 and the general average is 12,000.

For the information of numerous persons who have made inquiries at the post office regarding the closing of the office on February 23, Postmaster August Huckestein offers the following item: According to the provisions of section 254, part 3, of postal laws and regulations, in the case of legal holidays falling on Sunday, the following day is to be observed. During 1920 Washington's birthday, Memorial day and Independence day July 4, fall on Sunday.

Because the Willamette university and Idaho quietly clash in game tonight, the regular commercial league basketball games in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, were again postponed today. The league basketball games will continue in regular order again next week.

Woman Well Known Here Passes Away

Mrs. Henry G. Junke, aged 23, of Hillsboro, died at her home in that city February 16, 1920, after an illness of six days. Death was due to influenza and pneumonia. The death from the same disease of her infant son, Carl Clifford, occurred the previous day. Funeral services were held Thursday, February 19, at the Christian church, near her home, Rev. U. G. Clark, of Eugene, officiating. Burial was at the Lone Oak cemetery in Oregon.

Miss Mabel Olive Jarvis was born March 29, 1897, at North Santiam, Or. She was united in marriage to Henry G. Junke, May 22, 1917. Besides her husband and a small son Glenn Edwin, she is survived by a mother, one brother and four sisters.

BULL RUN RESERVE BEING CLEARED OF PRIVATE OWNERS

Portland, Or., Feb. 26.—Within 90 days the Bull Run forest reserve in which is Portland's source of water supply, will be cleared of virtually all private land holders. Arrangements have been completed by the government to trade certain lands outside the reserve for about 2000 acres now held by individuals, according to a statement today by City Commissioner John M. Mann.

Irrigation Bonds Are Certified Here

Certification of bonds in the amount of \$106,000 and state guarantee of interest on this issue, for the Grants Pass Irrigation district was decided upon at a meeting of the irrigation securities commission Wednesday. The district covers an area of 5900 acres in Josephine county. The money derived from the sale of this bond issue is to be used in the construction of a temporary pumping plant and laterals for the distribution of water to lands already under cultivation. It is expected that construction work will be started within a short time.

It was also decided at Wednesday's meeting of the commission to certify a \$40,000 bond issue for the Enterprise Irrigation district comprising 2400 acres in Klamath county near Klamath Lake Falls. The water supply for this district is to be secured from Klamath Lake through the canals of the Klamath project and a pumping plant and distribution are to be constructed with the proceeds of the bond issue.

Hop Contracts Carry Big Sum

Hop contracts totaling \$48,000 is included in the submission of hop contracts by Henry L. Benys of Albion with Strauss & company of England. This is the second series of contracts made personally by Benys during this month.

The hops under contract are being planted this spring on the 40 acre Joe Smith farm near St. Paul, owned by Benys. The crops from this year are estimated at 15,000 pounds this year and 40,000 pounds for each succeeding year.

GRAVEL CONTRACT LET

Contract for supplying the sand and gravel for state highway construction work in Coos county was awarded by the state highway department Wednesday to M. W. Payne, L. J. Simpson and A. K. Peck of Marshfield. The bid was 88 cents per cubic yard for screened gravel, 95 cents for run or bank gravel and 98 cents for sand. A total of 2000 cubic yards will be used on highway contracts now pending.

APPRAISEMENT ACCEPTED

The revised appraisement upon the estate of the late C. O. Bignow fixed by State Treasurer Hoff at \$40,713, an increase of \$10,000 over the original valuation upon the estate as filed with the inheritance tax department, has been accepted by the heirs of the estate who have announced their readiness to pay the tax upon the larger amount. The total tax will amount to approximately \$475 a gain of \$150 over the figures as originally filed.

Process Server Outwits Victim But Exit Hasty

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 26.—An opera producer whose company is now playing here was sued recently by one of his business agents. The producer, according to his own statement, was expecting the suit and made himself hard to find in the hope that the process servers would be foiled.

The attorneys for the plaintiff knew that the producer knew, and took steps accordingly. They employed a law student, one Khoren Kujumjean, an Armenian, to deliver the summons and a writ. Kujumjean haunted the producer; he waited at his stage door, to be thrust aside by a burly chauffeur so then he got a job as subproducer in the opera, marched on the stage clad in leopard skin and helmet, and when he marched off drew his wren from beneath the leopard skin and handed it to the producer.

Kujumjean did not stop afterwards to draw his pay as a subproducer.

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